



### **Club of** South Oldham County

#### **Club Leaders**





















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A huge THANK YOU to Ernst generous \$2,500 donation to the South Oldham Rotary Club! Your support plays a vital role in helping us



Sunday, May 11, 2025

South Oldham County Meets at Oldham County Arts Ctr. 7105 Floydsburg Rd Crestwood, KY Time: Friday at 07:30 AM

**Speakers** 

#### South Oldham Rotary Beautifies our Community

Thursday, May 1, 2025



Community in Action!

The South Oldham Rotary Club rolled up their sleeves and made a difference last Sunday by picking up 16 bags of litter on Veterans Memorial Parkway.

We're proud to serve our community and keep our shared spaces beautiful and clean. Thank you to everyone who came out and helped! Michael Logsdon, Tony Luft, Jim Hughey, John Oliva, Josh Ransdell, Nick Stephens, Carrie Stephens, Roger

Hack, Ron Hartman and Cindy Hack, great work, in record time!

### **Ernst Concrete Makes Donation to South Oldham Rotary**

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#### **Birthdays**

**Bobbie Stoess** May 12th Michael Logsdon May 31st Peggy Smythe June 20th Nickolus Stephens June 21st Ginger Montgomery June 21st

& Wine Experience to life on October 3rd at the beautiful Yew Dell Botanical Gardens

Because of communityminded partners like Ernst Concrete, we're able to make this event a memorable experience while continuing to support the impactful work of Rotary in our community.



Mark your calendars for October 3rd-we can't wait to see you there!

More info and tickets https://bourbonwine2025.com/

Pictured are South Oldham Rotarian and Vice President of Sales at Ernst Concrete and South Oldham Rotary Club President, Rachel Thompson.

## SOUTH OLDHAM ROTARY CLUB DATE 4-25-25 DRIVER OF DAR 5 200.00 wo Hundred and % Little Libraries South Oldham

South Oldham Rotary Donates to Peter Foree Chapter NSDAR

Community in Action!

The South Oldham Rotary Club is proud to support local literacy efforts with a \$200 donation to the Peter Foree Chapter, NSDAR! These funds will help provide materials to repair and restore Little Free Libraries throughout Oldham Countyensuring that books remain accessible to all and our neighborhoods stay vibrant and connected through the joy of reading. Together, we're building stronger communities-

one book at a time!

Pictured L to R-Vice Regent & Committee Chair for Peter Foree Chapter NSDAR-Sandy Chastain-Brough & South Oldham Rotary President-Rachel Thompson

#### South Oldham Rotary Club Honors March Students of the Month.

Thursday, April 3, 2025



The South Oldham Rotary Club recognized its John Longstreet Students of the Month for March at its March 21 meeting.

Ellen Christine Baer, a student in the Arvin Education Business Academy, was introduced by Zac Carter, Teaching & Learning Instructor at the Arvin Education Center. Carter described Baer as kind and welcoming, stating that she possesses all the qualities needed to be an outstanding teacher.

At South Oldham High School, Baer is a member of the National Honor Society and serves as Vice President of Individual Programs for Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America. As a junior, she received the Child Development Service Award. In addition to her high school coursework, she takes classes at Jefferson Community College and the University of Louisville.

Baer credits Ms. Miller, a long-term substitute teacher, with inspiring her to pursue a career in elementary education. She plans to attend Indiana University Southeast to major in elementary education. Outside of school, she enjoys reading, attending school games, and spending time with friends. She is the daughter of Steve and Katie Baer.

Samuel Aidan Estrada was introduced by South Oldham High School Guidance Counselor Alex Engle, who described him as energetic and a creative leader.

Estrada is a multi-talented student-athlete, playing basketball and lacrosse for South Oldham High School while also performing as a violinist in the String Orchestra at the Creative and Performing Arts Academy at the Oldham County Schools Arts Center. He is a member of the National Honor Society and has earned numerous accolades, including being named an All-American in lacrosse as a sophomore and junior, as well as All-State Orchestra honors for three consecutive years. He was also recognized as a Governor's Scholar.

Estrada plans to attend Eastern Kentucky University, exploring career paths in cybersecurity, technology, or music performance. In his free time, he enjoys sports, playing the violin, golfing, attending church, and spending time with friends. He is the son of Shayne and Alicia Estrada. Adeline Rose Chastain was introduced by Engle, who praised her as a strong leader with compassion and kindness, bringing joy to those around her.

Chastain has been a dedicated athlete at South Oldham High School, playing lacrosse for four years and also participating in golf and field hockey. She currently serves as National Honor Society President and Vice President of the Senior Class, and she is active in Beta Club, Spanish Club, and Quill and Scroll. She also attends the Arvin Education Center's Biomedical Program.

Chastain plans to attend the University of Cincinnati, majoring in nursing with a minor in Spanish. After earning her Bachelor of Science in Nursing, she hopes to work as an ICU nurse before pursuing certification as a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist. In her free time, she enjoys hiking with her Girl Scout troop, sewing, crocheting, and spending time with family and friends. She is the daughter of Jon and Ellen Chastain.

The South Oldham Rotary Club congratulates these outstanding students on their achievements. The club meets every Friday from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. at the Oldham County Schools Arts Center in Crestwood. For more information, visit <u>southoldhamrotary.org</u> or find them on Facebook. Visitors are welcome.

L to R – Front Row – Mary Baer, Christine Baer, Samuel Estrada, Adeline Chastain, Zac Carter- the Teaching & Learning Instructor at the Arvin Education Center, Joe Baer, Katie Baer, Joe Baer, Alicia Estrada, Isabell Estrada, Steve Roling-South Oldham Rotary Youth Services Director, Ellen Chastain, Jon Chastain, Alex Engle- South Oldham High School Guidance Counselor

#### Get Ready to Shout BINGO!

Thursday, April 3, 2025 Get Ready to Shout BINGO!

Join us for the South Oldham Rotary Bingo Bash at 3rd Turn Oldham Gardens on Saturday, April 13th! Grab your lucky charms and bring your game face because this isn't your grandma's bingo—it's BIGGER, BOLDER, and packed with CASH prizes!

Game Times: First 3 games start at 2:00 PM Second 3 games start at 3:30 PM

Cost: Just \$10 for three exciting games!

Jackpot Alert: Rolling Jackpot of \$3,300+ - Will YOU be the lucky winner? Must be 18+ to win!

No advance tickets-purchase at the event only!

Come for the fun, stay for the prizes, and enjoy some good company at 3rd Turn Oldham Gardens! Tag your bingo squad and let's make it a day to remember! #EXE0002758 Must be 18 or older to win.



# SOUTH OLDHAR BOARS CLU BINGO NICHT April 13th Games Starting At 2:00PM & 3:30PM

Informational Meeting For Prospective Rotarians 3:00PM-3:30PM

### 3rd Turn Oldham Gardens

6300 Old Lagrange Rd, Crestwood

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#### South Oldham Rotary Donates to Early Childhood Development

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e South Oldham Rotary Club has generously donated \$5,000 to the Oldham County Early Childhood Development organization in support of Dolly Parton's Imagination Library. This initiative provides a free book each month to registered children from birth until their 5th birthday, fostering early literacy and a love of reading.

Currently, 1,503 children—62% of those eligible in Oldham County—are enrolled in the program. In addition to supporting Imagination Library, the organization also sponsors Little Free Libraries throughout the county, ensuring more children have access to books.

The Rotary Club of Prospect Goshen also contributed a \$5,000 donation, further strengthening the program's impact on young readers.

To learn more or make a donation, visit kyreadyforschool.com

Pictured L to R - South Oldham Rotarian and OCECD board member <u>Jessica Thomas Fleischer</u>, OCECD board member Carol Hughey, South Oldham Rotary Foundation Director <u>Peter DelValle</u>, and South Oldham Rotary President Elect Tim Feeley.



#### Fabulous Floors Honored as March Business of the Month by South Oldham Rotary Club

Thursday, April 3, 2025



Congratulations to Fabulous Floors -South Oldham Rotary Club's March Business of the Month! Jill Marowelli proudly accepted the award on behalf of this family-run business, which has been a cornerstone of the community for almost 35 years!

Founded by her father, Lonnie McMahan—aka "The Rug Man"—Fabulous Floors started in a mini warehouse and has grown into a thriving company built on family values and exceptional service. Jill

worked alongside her late sister, Julie McMahan-Doerr, and now, Jill's daughter, Katie Coulter, carries on the tradition. But their impact goes beyond flooring! Fabulous Floors is dedicated to giving back, from food drives for <u>HighPoint Charitable Services</u> to supporting Project Graduation and even sponsoring girls' Little League teams in the past (shoutout to the "Rugett's"! ).

The South Oldham Rotary Club is proud to recognize Fabulous Floors for their commitment to both business excellence and the community. Well deserved!

#### Lucas Mattera with Oldham County Relay for Life Guest Speaker

Thursday, April 3, 2025

Lucas Mattera, South Oldham Middle School Teacher, Basketball Coach and Oldham County Relay for Life coordinator, was our guest speaker at last Friday's meeting. He resurrected the Oldham County Relay for Life last year. He is passionate and dedicated to this Community Event. Thank you, Lucas, for sharing. Please give consideration to forming a team, volunteering, sponsoring or donating to this worthwhile cause.



South Oldham Rotary Delivers Blessings in a Backpack



Last Friday South Oldham Rotarians delivered Blessings in a Backpack to 30 Oldham County families. Crestwood Methodist Church puts the bags together. Each family received two bags of food, toiletries and a \$10 gift card to Walmart to buy bread, milk and eggs.

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#ServiceAboveSelf #givingbacktothecommunity

#### South Oldham Rotary Representative Wins Sectional Speech Contest

Congratulations to Catherine Daisey, a South Oldham High School Junior. Catherine represented the South Oldham Rotary Club in the Sectional 6 Speech Contest held by the Bedford Rotary Club today and finished in first place. The Speech Contest theme is "The Magic of Rotary". Catherine will be moving on to the Regional Speech Contest which will be held in Frankfort on April 16th at noon at the American Legion Post #7. Congratulations also to South Oldham High School Speech and Debate Coach Chase McCoy for doing an outstanding job preparing Catherine. Pictured with Catherine is Cindy Warrick with the Bedford Rotary Club and Section 6 Speech Contest Coordinator.

